Sami Burke Love Song Lyrics Analysis

**Just A Dream-Carrie Underwood** April 19, 2011

Interpretation

Verse 1

The girl in the song is to be married two weeks after she turned eighteen. She was all ready in her white dress, headed to the church that night. She was all excited to see her fiancée. When she walked into the church she started to cry and the military trumpets played “Taps”. She wasn’t there for a wedding, but for her fiancée’s funeral

Chorus

The girl’s asking why did this happen, why did you leave me? She doesn’t want to believe that he’s really gone. She wants all of this to go away and believe that all of this is just a dream that she could wake up from.

Verse 2

The funeral service started and the preacher is talking and is praying. Then everyone stands up and sings the saddest song she’s ever heard. The military officers then folded up the flag and handed it to her. It was all she had left of him and she thought of what could’ve been. The officers shot one last time and felt like the bullets went right through her heart.

Back to Chorus